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PART III—Section I

NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT

CHIEF SECRETARIAT

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No. 9068—C.B. 220-50-1. The Notification No. 16—14-50—Public, dated 5th September, 1950. from the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India, is hereby re-published for general information :—

"In supersession of the Ministry of Home Affairs Notification No. 16—18—49—Public, dated the 29th March 1950, the following revised table with respect to the rank and precedence of persons named therein is published for general information.

1 President of India.
2. Prime Minister of India.
3 Governors, Maharajpramukh of Rajasthan and Rajpramukhs within their respective charges.
4 Ex-Presidents and Ex-Governors General of India.
5 Rulers of Indian States with a salute of 17 guns and above within their States.
6 Ambassadors accredited to India.
High Commissioners of Commonwealth Governments in India.
7 The Honourable Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel (whilst holding the post of Deputy Prime Minister).
8 Chief Justice of India.
Speaker of Parliament.
9 Governors, Maharajpramukh of Rajasthan and Rajpramukhs outside their respective charges.
10 Cabinet Ministers of the Union of India.
11 Rulers of Indian States with a salute of 17 guns or over outside their States.
12 Chief Ministers of Part A States in their respective States.
13 Rulers of Indian States with a salute of 15 guns or 13 guns.
14 Chief Ministers of Part B States within their respective charges.
15 Ministers Plenipotentiary and Envoys Extraordinary.
16 Ministers of State for the Union of India.
Members of the Planning Commission.
17 Ambassadors of India
Visiting Ambassadors and Ministers Plenipotentiary,
Visiting High Commissioners for India.
18 Charge d' Affairs a pied.
Charge d' Affaires *ad interim*.
19 Judges of the Supreme Court of India.
20 Chiefs of Staff and Commander-in-Chief, provided they hold the rank of full General or equivalent rank.
21 Chief Ministers of Part A States, outside their States.
Deputy Ministers of the Union of India.
Attorney-General of India,
Comptroller and Auditor-General of India.
22 Chief Ministers of Part B States outside their charges.
23 Chief Justices of High Courts.
Chairmen of Legislative Councils in Parts A and B States,
Speakers of Legislative Assemblies in Parts A and B States.
24 Chiefs of Staff and Commander-in-Chief, provided they hold the rank of Lieutenant-General or equivalent rank.
25 Rulers of Indian States with a salute of 11 or 9 guns.
26 Ministers of Parts A and B States.
27 Chairman, Union Public Service Commission.
Chief Election Commissioner.
28 Puisne Judges of High Courts.
29 Members of Parliament.
30 Officers of the rank of full General or equivalent rank.
Chief Commissioner of Railways.
*Secretaries to the Government of India, Principal Private Secretary to the Prime Minister and Secretary to the Department of Scientific Research.
Rehabilitation Adviser.
Officiating Chiefs of Staff and Commanders-in-chief holding the rank of a Major-General or equivalent rank.
Chief Commissioner, Delhi, within in his charge.
31 Members of the Railway Board.
Financial Commissioner of Railways.
Ministers other than Ministers Plenipotentiary and Envoys Extraordinary.
Officers of the rank of Lieutenant-General or equivalent rank.
32 Deputy High Commissioners of Commonwealth Governments in India stationed in Delhi.
Chief Commissioners of Himachal Pradesh, Bhopal, Andaman and Nicobar Islands and Kutch within their respective charges.
Additional Secretaries to the Government of India.
President, Indian Tariff Board.
32 Chairman, Central Electricity Commission
Chairman, Central Waterpower, Irrigation and Navigation Commission.
Vice-Chairman of the Indian Council of Agricultural Research.
Financial Adviser, Ministry of Finance (Defence).
Chairman, Central Board of Revenue.
P. S. Os of Armed Forces of the rank of Major-General or equivalent rank.
33 Chairman, Public Service Commission of a State.
Chief Secretaries to Governments of Part A States.
Financial Commissioners.
Counsellors of Foreign Embassies and Legations.
Counsellors attached to High Commissioners.
Members of the Union Public Service Commission.
Deputy High Commissioners of Commonwealth Governments in India other than those stationed in Delhi.
Rear Admiral Commanding, Indian Naval Squadron.
34 Director-General, Health Services.
Director-General, Posts and Telegraphs.
Director, Central Bureau of Intelligence and Investigation.
General Managers of Railways.
Establishment Officer to the Government of India.
Joint Secretaries to the Government of India (including Joint Secretary to the Cabinet).
Officers of the rank of Major-General or equivalent rank.
Surveyor General of India.
Members of the Indian Tariff Board.
Senior Trade Commissioners and other Officers of the rank of Counsellors to High Commissioners of Commonwealth Governments in India.
Director-General of Civil Aviation in India.
Surgeons-General.
Director-General of Industry and Supply.
Members of a Board of Revenue.
Director-General of Ordinance Factories.
Indian Navy Commodores in-charge, Naval Ports or Areas.
Commander (s) of an I. A. F. Command (s) of the rank of Air Commodore.
P. S Os. of the Naval and Air Headquarters of Commodore and Air Commodore ranks.
Chief Commissioners of Delhi, Himachal Pradesh, Bhopal, Andaman and Nicobar Islands and Kutch outside their respective charges.
Chief Commissioner, Ajmer, both within and outside his charge
Director-General. All India Radio."

H. V. R. IYENGAR,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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* The officer holding the post of Secretary to the President should be graded with Secretaries to the Government of India, provided he has been Secretary to the Government of India before being appointed to the President's staff plus should a P. S. O. hold the rank of a Lieutenant-General, his seniority in the Warrant of Precedence will continue to remain the same as laid down for "officers of the rank of Lieutenant-General or equivalent rank" in article 31 of the Warrant of Precedence.

Note 1 :—The order in the Warrant of Precedence is meant for State and Ceremonial occasions and may not be strictly followed on more informal occasions.

Note 2 :—This Warrant will not affect the precedence enjoyed by Rulers, etc., within Indian States and Part B States by virtue of local usage and custom; nor will it affect the local precedence *inter se* of Rulers as in force immediately before 15th August, 1947.

Note 3 :—Officers in the Table of Precedence will take rank in order of the number of entries, those included in one number shall take precedence *inter se* according to the date of entry into that number.

Note 4 :—When Members of Parliament are invited *en bloc* to major State functions, the enclosure reserved for them should be next to the Ambassadors, Chief Justice of India, Speaker of Parliament and Governors, etc.

By Order of His Highness the Maharaja,

K. SRINIVASAN,
Chief Secretary.

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DEVELOPMENT SECRETARIAT

Dated 25th September 1950.

No. ..... The following Trade Agreement concluded by the Government of India with the Federal Republic of Germany is published for the information of the public.

By Order of His Highness the Maharaja,

R. J. REGO,
Secretary to Government,
Development Department.

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